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## Soviet Spy in Britain Appeals His Jail Term

LONDON, Dec. 11 (Reuters) — A convicted spy, Geoffrey Prime, is appealing the 35-year prison sentence imposed on him last month for passing secret information to the Soviet Union.

Mr. Prime, a Russian-language expert who worked at the top-secret Government communications center where Soviet signals are translated and analyzed, pleaded guilty to seven charges of spying for the Soviet Union.